

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Mary Darlene Temple
Serial No. : Unassigned Examiner : Unassigned
Filed : herewith Art Unit : Unassigned
For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DELIVERY OF MEDICATION

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**PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR DRAWINGS
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2), to accept color drawings for the above-identified utility patent application.

1. The present application is directed to an apparatus and method for delivery of medication, which in at least one embodiment, includes having indicia indicating the dosage of medication to be delivered. As discussed in the application, and as set forth in the claims, the indicia may be a color.

2. Various embodiments of the present invention are illustrated in the drawings, including the colored indicia. During the preparation of the application, the color features of the present invention were attempted to be illustrated in the drawings in

a number of ways. It was determined that an understanding of the present invention was greatly facilitated by the use of color drawings. Accordingly, it is presently believed that color drawings are necessary to disclose the subject matter of the present patent application.

3. A check for the \$130.00 petition fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) is enclosed herewith as part of the filing fee.

4. Attached are three (3) sets of color drawings 1-15. Also included is one (1) set of black and white photocopies that accurately depict the subject matter shown in the color drawings.

5. The application as filed contains the language required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)(iv) regarding the presence of color drawings in the application.

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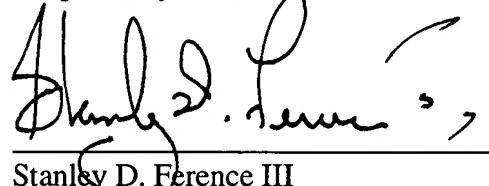
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Because Applicant has complied with all of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h), she respectfully requests that the Commissioner grant her petition and accept color drawings for this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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